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ECONOMIC INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in
Room 4 F 31, Headquarters Building
1030 Hours, 24 October 1967

PRESENT:

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[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency, Chairman
Dr. Milton Kovner, Department of State
Baxter Wood, Defense Intelligence Agency
Michael C. Kenney, Jr., Department of the Army
Anthony V. Krochalis, Department of the Navy
Dr. Robert A. Kilmarx, Jr., Department of the Air Force
[redacted], National Security Agency
Dr. James A. Slater, Department of the Interior
Jerome Forrest, Agency for International Development
[redacted] Central Intelligence Agency, Executive Secretary
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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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The Chairman introduced [redacted] who became the new Executive Secretary upon [redacted] retirement, and Anthony V. Krochalis, the new member from the Department of the Navy who replaced Commander Brady.

The Chairman announced the appointment of Commander Malcolm L. Barringer, USN, the DIA nominee, as Chairman of the Subcommittee on Shipbuilding, by interim action, on 25 August 1967. Commander Barringer replaced Mr. Anthony V. Krochalis.

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The sixteenth annual report of the Economic Intelligence Committee was noted by the United States Intelligence Board on 5 September 1967 and was distributed to all members of the Committee, Subcommittees and the Working Group on Aid and Trade.

A request was received from the Scientific Intelligence Committee for an EIC contribution to the updating of the periodic study on "Science and Technology in Communist China." This request was circulated to the USIB Agency members of the EIC on 11 October 1967. OER will prepare a draft which will be sent to the USIB Agency members for review and coordination. The cutoff date for this study is 1 January 1968.

A request was received from the Executive Secretary of the United States Intelligence Board for review of clearances of EIC members. The Chairman, upon checking with the USIB Agency members, advised the Executive Secretary, USIB, by memo dated 17 October 1967, that the present level of clearances is adequate to perform the Economic Intelligence Committee's mission.

Interim Actions -- Memo to EIC Members, 29 May 1967

Three proposed external research contracts were reviewed and approved by the responsible subcommittees:

Political Implications of Alternative Soviet Military and Economic Programs (State sponsored) was reviewed and concurred in by the Subcommittee on General Economic Analysis on 11 May 1967.

Continuation, on a modified basis, of A Constraint on Chicom Foreign Policy: Agricultural Output 1966-1975 (State sponsored) was reviewed and concurred in by the Subcommittee on Agriculture on 27 April 1967.

Continuation of Structure and Growth of the Economies of Eastern Europe (CIA sponsored) was reviewed and concurred in by the Subcommittee on General Economic Analysis on 11 May 1967

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